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**Brief Summary of Selected Substantive Portions of this Response**

**[0001]** In a telephone discussion (on 1/11/2007), Examiners agreed with how the cited art may differ from one or more embodiments described in the Application. Applicant amends claims accordingly herein.

**[0002]** This brief summary is not intended to represent the Applicant's full response to the Action. Rather, it is merely a brief summary of selected substantive portions of the response herein.